

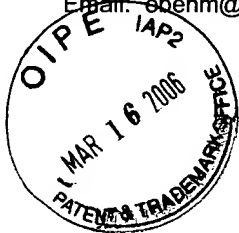
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For: Method and System for Providing Interactive Services Over a Wireless  
Communications Network

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Sir:

Enclosed for filing is an Amendment and Response to the Office Action which has a mailing date of December 16, 2005 in the above-entitled invention. The following documents are submitted herewith:

- 1) Amendment and Response to Office Action; and
- 2) Return Receipt Postage Prepaid Postcard

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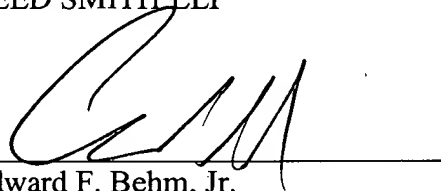
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 16, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified patent application, which was assigned a shortened statutory period that was set to expire March 16, 2006, is enclosed. Accordingly, the present response is deemed to be timely filed. Should there be any fees due and owing with respect to this amendment, the Examiner is authorized to charge such fees to deposit account no. 18-0586.

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